

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)		Docket Number (Optional) MERCK-3091								
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<p>This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response in the above identified application.</p> <p>The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-between;"> <div style="width: 80%;"> <p><input type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))</p> </div> <div style="width: 15%; text-align: right;"> <p>\$ _____</p> <p>\$ _____</p> <p><u>\$1,050.00</u></p> <p>\$ _____</p> <p>\$ _____</p> </div> </div> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$ ____.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card via EFS.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number <u>13-3402</u>.</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.</p> <p>I am the <input type="checkbox"/> applicant/inventor.</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;"><input type="checkbox"/> assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71</p> <p style="padding-left: 80px;">Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;"><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent of record.</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;"><input type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a).</p> <p style="padding-left: 80px;">Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a). _____.</p>										
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<p style="text-align: center;">November 26, 2007</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Date</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">/Harry B. Shubin/</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Signature</p> <hr style="border: 0; border-top: 1px solid black; margin: 5px 0;"/> <p style="text-align: center;">Harry B. Shubin, Reg. No. 32,004</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Typed or printed name</p>									
<p><small>NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below*.</small></p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> *Total of _____ forms are submitted.</p>										